

February 20, 1990 LB 830, 994A

because we are using the present Rural Health Manpower Commission, so I would just move the A bill. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Discussion? Seeing none, those in favor of the advancement of the A bill please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 994A.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The A bill does advance. To LB 830, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 830, Mr. President, introduced by Senators Peterson and Schellpeper. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 3 of this year, referred to the Government Committee for public hearing, advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: The Chair recognizes Senator Peterson.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. Speaker and members, this bill is, in essence, gives the state the power to sell land or buildings that are not being used to...so we don't, hopefully, would have to tear down some of these buildings that we can put them in use. There have been times when we've had purchasers in the last few years, couple years, that have showed interest in purchasing some land, parcels of land or buildings and because uncertainty in regards to the property and acquiring it, they...financing everything, they've lost interest. So all this bill does is allow the state to sell these buildings and some land. There is 60 plus buildings, some out of that 60 plus, there is some that cannot be renovated. There are some that could be. To those that have buildings and land in their districts, I've distributed that to you and the cost of tearing these buildings down is astronomical and if we can salvage, 10, 20 of these buildings and get rid of some of this land, I think it would be great that we could do so. I ask for advancement of the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Is there discussion? Any questions? Seeing none, those in favor of the advancement of LB 830 please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

CLERK: 29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of